1	2	3
11.	Madhya Pradesh	210
12.	Maharashtra	16
13.	Orissa	173
14.	Rajasthan	600
15.	Tamil Nadu	1053
16.	Tripura	263
17.	Uttar Pradesh	393
18.	Uttaranchal	6
19.	West Bengal	5
	TOTAL:	**5613**

Recommendations of Inter-Ministerial Group on SGSY

1004. SHRI C. RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the steps taken by Government in implementing Inter-Ministerial Group recommendations for launching pilot Programme under Swaranjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana for unemployed youths in rural areas for 2005-07;

(b) the Name of districts in the State of Andhra Pradesh selected for launching the programme in the 1 st and 2nd phase; and

(c) the amount allocated for the Project for the year 2005-06?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYAKANTA PATIL): (a) to (c) An Inter-Ministerial Group (IMG) had recommended that a demand-driven skill development programme may be designed to equip the unemployed rural youths from the below Poverty Line (BPL) households with marketable skills which would enable them to either secure placement in the organized establishments or secure sustainable self-

employment through micro enterprise. Subsequentjo the recommendations of IMG, the Government decided to launch a pilot programme for skill development under Swaranjayanti Gram Swarojgar Yojana (SGSY) for the unemployed youths from BPL families in the rural areas. The guidelines of the pilot scheme has been issued and circulated to the States.

(b) During the pilot phase of the scheme (2005-2007) it is proposed to -cover at least 1000-2000 rural youth per year in 100 selected districts. These pilot projects would be funded as Special Projects under SGSY, with the same pattern of assistance (75.25) applied *mutatis mutandis* to the training programme. So far no such special projects have been received from the State Governments.

Proposals of rural projects

1005. SHRI DWIJENDRA NATH SHARMAH: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposals of rural projects received from the various States of the country for the development of various roads during the years 2003-04 and 2004-05;

(b) the details of the work done for development of various roads in the country during this period; and

(c) the expenditure incurred on each projects in the country, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SURYKANTA PATIL): (a) to (c) Under the Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY), the projects are approved State-wise and Phase-wise. State-wise details of the projects approved, funds released and utilized under Phases III (2003-04) and IV (2004-05) of PMGSY are given at Statement I and Statement II respectively.